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Please find enclosed reply to Office Action dated December 29, 2005, of Examiner April A Taylor.

Regards,

Kia Silverbrook, Paul Lapstun & Jan Rusman

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**Dated** February 1, 2006**At:** Balmain, NSW**Docket No.** HYT006US**AMENDMENT C**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 29, 2005, please amend the above referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper. The Applicant submits that these amendments introduce no new matter.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.